

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SB 310 - HB 204**

March 28, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Prohibits clear-cutting in state forests except in cases of natural disaster or infestation.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Decrease State Revenue - \$2,000,000**

Assumption:

- According to the Department of Agriculture, the Forestry Division performs clear-cuts as part of the Forest Management Plan. Currently, the Department makes annual clear-cut timber sales of \$2,000,000. As a result, the recurring loss in state revenue will be \$2,000,000.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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